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## The United States Attorney's Office and City of Brunswick Announce the Brunswick Weed and Seed Kick-off Event

***Brunswick:*** "Crime is the number one target for the Weed and Seed Project in Brunswick" is the message from Lisa Godbey Wood, United States Attorney for the Southern District of Georgia, who will attend the Weed and Seed Cookout on Saturday, December 10, 2005 at the Roosevelt Lawrence Recreation Center, 1109 H Street. The cookout is free, and the public is invited. Joining with Ms. Wood in the event will be Mayor Bradford S. Brown, Mayor-Elect Bryan Thompson, Chief of Brunswick Police Edna Johnson, and Rev. Eddie Wood.

The Weed and Seed Project is a community-based partnership between the local community, the City of Brunswick, and the U. S. Department of Justice acting through the U. S. Attorney's Office. The Brunswick Weed and Seed Strategy has a two-pronged approach to eliminate crime in Brunswick. Federal, state and local law enforcement along with federal and state prosecutors cooperate in "weeding out" criminals from the designated area. The "seeding in" prong brings prevention, intervention, treatment and neighborhood revitalization services to the area. This approach is outlined in the brochure being distributed by the City of Brunswick Community Development Office.

For more information contact the City of Brunswick Community Development Office at (912) 267-5530 or fax (912) 267-5542.

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